



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Ragina Naidu
Application No. : 10/695,416
Filed : October 27, 2003
For : SEMI-SYNTHESIS OF TAXANE INTERMEDIATES FROM
9-DIHYDRO-13-ACETYLBACCATIN III

Examiner : Raymond K. Covington
Art Unit : 1625
Docket No. : 740082.407
Date : April 7, 2006

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Office Action dated October 7, 2005, please extend the period of time for response 3 months, to expire on April 7, 2006. Enclosed are a Petition for an Extension of Time and the requisite fee. Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.